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IN REPLY REFER TO:

Board of Land and
Natural Resources
State of Hawaii
Honolulu, Hawaii

**ISSUANCE OF A RIGHT-OF-ENTRY TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT
OF THE ARMY FOR SURVEY AND EXPLORATION WORK AT
KONA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AT KEAHOLE**

HAWAII

APPLICANT:

U. S. Department of the Army

LEGAL REFERENCE:

Chapter 171, Hawaii Revised Statutes, as amended

PURPOSE:

Survey and exploration work for a proposed C-17 Kona Auxiliary Training Runway Project.

LOCATION:

Kona International Airport at Keahole

PREMISES:

Area designated as "X" for survey and exploratory work
Area designated as "Y" for access purpose only

ZONING:

State Land Use District: Urban
County of Hawaii: IMG-1a (General Industrial)

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LAND TITLE STATUS:

Governor's Executive Order 3074
Land Section 5(b), Hawaii Admissions Act: Ceded
DHHL 30% Entitlement Lands: No

TAX MAP KEY:

Kona: 3rd Division, 7-3-43:03

CURRENT USE STATUS:

Airport purpose

CHARACTER OF USE:

Right-of-Entry to perform topographic and geotechnical surveying on site of the Proposed C-17 Kona Auxiliary Training Runway project in the area designated "X", together with access over airport roads in the area designated as "Y".

TERM:

Not to exceed twelve (12) months.

COMMENCEMENT:

Upon Land Board approval

CHAPTER 343, HRS - ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT:

This project will have minimal or no significant effect on the environment and is therefore exempt from the preparation of an environmental assessment under the authority of Chapter 343, HRS and Section 11-200 HAR. The declaration of exemption will be based on exemption of Class #5 on the exemption list for the Department of Transportation dated May 22, 2001, that states: "Basic data collection, research, experimental management, and resource evaluation activities which do not result in a serious or major disturbance of an environmental resource."

REMARKS:

The Department of Transportation has no objections to the request from the U.S. Department of the Army to perform survey and exploratory work for the proposed project.

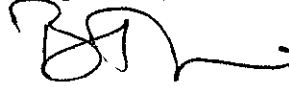
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RECOMMENDATION:


That the Board approve the Right-of-Entry to the U.S. Department of the Army subject to: (1) terms and conditions herein outlined; (2) such other terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the Director of Transportation to best serve the interests of the State; and (3) review and approval by the Department of the Attorney General as to the Right-of-Entry form and content.

Respectfully submitted,



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APPROVED FOR SUBMITTAL:



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